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### AMENDMENT TRANSMITTAL

Mail Stop Amendment Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

Transmitted herewith is an amendment in the above-identified application.

[X] Small Entity status under 37 C.F.R. § 1.9 and § 1.27 has been established by a previous assertion of Small Entity status.

#### [X] The fee required for additional claims is calculated below:

	Claims As				Extra			
			Previously		Claims			Additional
	Amended		Paid For		Present		Rate	Claims Fee
Total Claims:	6	-	45	=	0	х	\$50.00 =	\$0.00
Independent Claims:	6	-	11	=	0	x	\$200.00 =	\$0.00

If any extensions of time are needed for timely acceptance of papers submitted herewith, applicant hereby petitions for such extension under 37 C.F.R. §1.136 and authorizes payment of any such extensions fees to Deposit Account No. 19-0741.

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Respectfully submitted,

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## **AMENDMENT AND REPLY UNDER 37 CFR 1.111**

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Sir:

This communication is responsive to the Non-Final Office Action dated October 23, 2006, concerning the above-referenced patent application. Because Applicants have filed this response by the shortened statutory due date of January 23, 2007, no extension of time is necessary.

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this document.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 6 of this document.

Please amend the application as follows: